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AT the Court at St. James's, the 14th Day of *September*, 1770,

PRESENT,

The KING's moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

WHEREAS His Majeſty was pleaſed by His Order of Council of the 26th Day of May, 1769, to prohibit the Importation of any Hides of Horned Cattle either Raw or Salted, or Horns and Hoofs, from the Dominions of the Kings of Denmark and Sweden, the Dutchies of Holſtein, Mecklenburgh and Cleves, the Neighbourhood of Hamburgh, the Frontiers of the United Provinces, and the United Provinces: And whereas by an Act paſſed in the laſt Seſſion of Parliament, intituled, "An Act "to prevent the further Spreading of the contagious "Diſorder among the Horned Cattle in Great Bri-"tain," His Majeſty is empowered, amongſt other Things, from Time to Time, as often as he ſhall find it neceſſary ſo to do, by His Royal Proclamation, to be iſſued by and with the Advice of His Privy Council, or by His Order in Council to be publiſhed in the London Gazette, to prohibit generally, or from any particular Country or Countries, or from the Iſles of Alderney, Jerſey, Guernſey, or any of the Iſlands or Dominions belonging to Great Britain, the Importation of any Cattle, or of any Manner of Hides or Skins, Horns or Hoofs, or any other Part of any Cattle or Beaſt, into the Kingdoms of Great Britain or Ireland, or any of the Iſlands or Dominions thereto belonging;——And whereas His Majeſty hath received Information that the Contagion amongſt the Horned Cattle hath broke out at a Village called Werlpen, between Furnes and Newport, about Four Leagues from Oſtend, in Flanders; and is ſuppoſed to have come from the Side of Berg St. Wenox, about Two Leagues from Dunkirk, where it actually is; His Majeſty taking the ſame into his Royal Conſideration, is pleaſed, with the Advice of His Privy Council, to prohibit the Importation of any Cattle, or of any Manner of Hides or Skins, Horns or Hoofs, or any other Part of any Cattle or Beaſt, from Dunkirk, or any other Part of Flanders, or from any of the Places mentioned in the aforeſaid Order of the 26th of May, 1769, into the Kingdoms of Great Britain or Ireland, until His Majeſty's Pleaſure ſhall be further ſignified: And His Majeſty is further pleaſed, with the Advice aforeſaid, to order, as it is hereby ordered, that the utmoſt Care be taken, not to permit any Entry to be paſſed, for any Cattle, or for any Manner of Hides or Skins, Horns or Hoofs, or any other Part of any Cattle or Beaſt, which are already, or may hereafter be brought from the Places aforementioned, directly or indirectly, into any of the Ports of Great Britain or Ireland, until His Majeſty's Pleaſure ſhall be further ſignified: And the Right Honourable the Lords Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Treaſury, and the Lord Lieutenant of His Majeſty's Kingdom of Ireland are to give the neceſſary Directions herein, as to them may reſpectively appertain.

Steph. Cottrell.

[Price Three-Pence.]

New-York, Auguſt 16.

AN Equeſtrian Statue of our moſt Gracious Sovereign, made by Direction, and at the Expence of this Colony, having been lately brought over from London, was this Day opened to View, and erected on its proper Pedeſtal, in a Square near the Fort, and fronting the principal Street of the City, in the Preſence of the Lieutenant Governor, attended by the Gentlemen of the Council, and all the Members of the Aſſembly that were in Town; the Magiſtrates of the City; the Clergy of all Denominations; and a very large Number of the principal Inhabitants. Lieutenant General Gage and the Officers of the Army were alſo preſent; and the whole Company, after drinking the King's Health, and a long Continuance of His Reign, under a Diſcharge of 32 Pieces of Cannon, and amidſt the loud and cheerful Acclamations of the People, returned in Proceſſion to the Fort.

Vienna, September 5. Prince Charles of Lorrain ſet out on his Return to the Low Countries laſt Monday.

Copenhagen, September 8. Tueſday laſt, being the Birth-day of the Queen Dowager, was obſerved as a Day of Gala; and there was a Court at Friderickſbourg. On Thurſday laſt their Daniſh Majeſties ſet out for Hirſcholm the Country-Reſidence of the late Queen Sophia Magdalena, where they propoſe ſpending a Fortnight; and after that retiring to Friderickſbourg till the Middle of October.

Paris, September 11. Madame Louiſe, his Moſt Chriſtian Majeſty's Daughter, who has been for ſome Time in a Convent of the Carmelites at St. Denis, took the White Veil laſt Monday. The Dauphineſs attended the Ceremony. The Pope's Nuncio had an Extraordinary Character to repreſent the Pope upon this Occaſion. His Moſt Chriſtian Majeſty, on that Account, has made the Nuncio a Preſent of his Picture richly ſet with Diamonds.

Bruſſels, September 14. On Wedneſday laſt his Royal Highneſs Prince Charles arrived here from Vienna in perfect Health. He will ſtay here till the Arrival of his Siſter the Princeſs Charlotte, who is expected here the 23d Inſtant, and will then go to Marrimont.

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St. James's, September 15, 1770.

Whereas it hath been humbly represented to the King, that by an Act of Parliament made in the Seventh Year of His present Majesty's Reign, for dividing of the Hunre Huntre, Eight Hundred, or Holland Fen, and certain other commonable Places adjoining thereto, in the Parts of Holland in the County of Lincoln, Commissioners were empowered to divide the said Fen amongst the several Townships, Places, and Persons which had Right of Common and other Interest therein, who did divide the same accordingly; but that divers malicious and evil minded Persons, in order to obstruct and hinder the Execution of the said Act, have, in the Night Time, at several different Times, shot into several Dwelling Houses with an Intent to commit Murder, burnt several Houses, Outhouses, Buildings, and Stacks of Hay and Corn, killed, wounded, poisoned, and destroyed many Horses, Beasts, and Sheep, and written several threatning and incendiary Letters to many Persons interested in, and whom they think Well-Wishers to, the Division of the said Fen; His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in such Felonies, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any one of them, who shall discover his, her, or their Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof. WEYMOUTH.

And, as a farther Encouragement, Edward Draper, of Boston in the said County of Lincoln, Gent. Clerk to the said Commissioners, doth hereby promise the following Rewards to any Person or Persons, who shall, within Six Months from the Date hereof, make such Discovery as aforesaid, to be paid by him on Conviction of the respective Offenders; that is to say,

To the Person who shall first apply to the said Edward Draper, and make Information before any Magistrate, against any Person or Persons guilty of any of the above Offences, TWO HUNDRED POUNDS.

To the second Person who shall apply to the said Edward Draper, and make Information before any Magistrate, against any other Person or Persons guilty of any of the above Offences not before informed against, ONE HUNDRED POUNDS.

To the third Person who shall apply to the said Edward Draper, and make Information before any Magistrate, against any other Person or Persons guilty of any of the above Offences not before informed against, ONE HUNDRED POUNDS.

And to the fourth Person who shall apply to the said Edward Draper, and make Information before any Magistrate, against any other Person or Persons guilty of any of the above Offences not before informed against, ONE HUNDRED POUNDS.

N. B. The above Rewards are offered in Lieu of all Rewards formerly promised by the said Edward Draper, or any other Person or Persons, for the Discovery of the Perpetrators of the above Crimes or Offences, or any of them; and further, all such Informers may depend on every reasonable Protection.

Admiralty-Office, August 7, 1770.

Whereas, about Four o'Clock in the Morning of Friday the 27th Day of July last, a dreadful Fire broke out in His Majesty's Dock Yard at Portsmouth, which raged with such Violence, that before the same could be extinguished, several of His Majesty's Storehouses and Buildings were burnt down, and great Quantities of Naval Stores totally consumed and destroyed, and others greatly damaged; And whereas there is Reason to suspect that the said Buildings and Stores were wilfully and maliciously set on Fire, by some evil-disposed Persons, at present unknown: In order therefore to discover, and bring to Justice, the Persons guilty of the abovementioned Offence, My Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty are pleased to promise a Reward of ONE THOUSAND POUNDS *unto, or amongst, such Person, or Persons, as shall, within Three Months from this Time, discover any of the Offenders guilty of the said Offence, so as such Offenders, or any one or more of them, shall be apprehended and duly convicted thereof; the said Reward to be paid clear of all Deductions whatsoever, by the Treasurer of His Majesty's Navy, immediately after the Conviction of such Offender or Offenders.*

And, as a further Encouragement, His Majesty is pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any of the said Offenders, (except the Person who actually set the Premisses on Fire) who shall discover any one or more of his or their Accomplices in the said Offence, so as he or they shall be apprehended and prosecuted to Conviction. Ph. Stephens.

General Post-Office, August 24, 1770.

This Morning, about a Quarter before Four o'Clock, the Post-Boy, carrying the Chester Mail from this Office, was attacked and robbed at the Foot of Highgate Hill, by a single Highwayman, who took out of the Cart a small Mail ticketted Chester B. B. containing the following Bags of Letters, viz.

Barnet, St. Albans, Dunstable, Fenny Stratford, Stony Stratford, Daventry, Rugby, Lutterworth, Luton, Towcester, Ampthill, and Bedford.

The Person who committed this Robbery is described to be a tall thin Man, about Five Feet Nine Inches high, dressed in a light coloured close-bodied Coat, dark Waistcoat, white Breeches, Boots and Spurs, a round Hat turned up only behind, and well mounted on a black Horse, about fourteen Hands and an Half high, with two white Feet before, and a cut Tail.

Whoever shall apprehend and convict, or cause to be apprehended and convicted, the Person who committed this Robbery, will be intitled to a Reward of TWO HUNDRED POUNDS, over and above the Reward by Act of Parliament for apprehending Highwaymen: Or, if any Person, whether an Accomplice in the said Robbery, or knowing thereof, shall make Discovery whereby the Person who committed the same may be apprehended and brought to Justice, such Discoverer will, upon Conviction of the Person who committed this Robbery, be intitled to the said Reward of TWO HUNDRED POUNDS, and will also receive His Majesty's most gracious Pardon.

By Command of the Postmaster General,
Anth. Todd, *Secretary.*

General Post-Office, July 20, 1770.

The Chichester Mail which was sent from this Office, this Morning about Two o'Clock, was soon afterwards stolen out of the Mail Cart, between Newington and Clapham, by some Person or Persons unknown, who cut the Straps which fastened the Mail to the Cart.

The said Mail contained the following Bags of Letters, viz.

Chichester, Petworth, Arundel, Midhurst, Havant, Godalmin, Haslemere, Steyning, Guilford, Shoreham, Kingston, Claremont, Cobham, Ripley, Petersfield, and Portsmouth.

Whoever shall apprehend and convict, or cause to

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be apprehended and convicted, the Perſon or Perſons who ſtole the ſaid Mail, will be intitled to a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds: *Or, if any Perſon or Perſons, whether an Accomplice or knowing thereof, ſhall make Diſcovery whereby the Offender or Offenders may be apprehended and brought to Juſtice; ſuch Diſcoverer will, upon Conviction of the Perſon or Perſons who ſtole the ſaid Mail, be intitled to the ſaid Reward of* Two Hundred Pounds, *and will alſo receive His Majeſty's moſt gracious Pardon.*

By Command of the Poſtmaſter General,
Anth. Todd, *Secretary.*

General Poſt-Office, Aug. 19, 1770.

This Morning, about Four o'Clock, the Poſt-Boy, carrying the Cheſter Mail from this Office, was attacked and robbed near the Six Mile Stone on Finchley Common, by a ſingle Highwayman, who took out of the ſaid Mail two Bags of Letters, ticketed Coleſhill and Iriſh.

The Perſon, who committed this Robbery, is deſcribed to be rather a thin Man, about five Feet ſix Inches high, dreſſed in a dark brown cloſe-bodied Coat, and well mounted on a very light Bay Gelding, about Fifteen Hands high, with a cut Tail.

Whoever ſhall apprehend and convict, or cauſe to be apprehended and convicted, the Perſon who committed the ſaid Robbery, will be intitled to a Reward of TWO HUNDRED POUNDS, over and above the Reward by Act of Parliament for apprehending Highwaymen: Or if any Perſon, whether an Accomplice in the ſaid Robbery, or knowing thereof, ſhall make Diſcovery whereby the Perſon who committed the ſame, may be apprehended and brought to Juſtice, ſuch Diſcoverer will, upon Conviction of the Perſon who committed this Robbery, be intitled to the ſaid Reward of TWO HUNDRED POUNDS, and will alſo receive His Majeſty's moſt gracious Pardon.

By Command of the Poſt-maſter General,
Anth. Todd, *Secretary.*

Royal Hoſpital for Seamen at Greenwich,
July 17, 1770.

The Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Royal Hoſpital for Seamen at Greenwich, hereby give Notice, That at Salters Hall, in London, on Wedneſday the Nineteenth Day of December next, or as ſoon after as may be, the following Eſtates will be let on Leaſe for Twenty-one Years, or under, to commence upon the Twelfth Day of May, One thouſand ſeven hundred and ſeventy one; that is to ſay, Keſwick *and* Wanthwate Mills *with the Appurtenances, in the Manor of* Caſtlerigg *and* Darwentwater *and County of* Cumberland, *now in the Tenure or Occupation of Joſeph Croſthwaite; and a Parcel of Ground Part of* Warkes Common, *in the Barony and Manor of* Warke, *and County of* Northumberland, *lately allotted to the ſaid Commiſſioners upon a Diviſion of the ſaid Common, and now in the Tenure or Occupation of Lionel Charlton. All Perſons willing to take the ſaid Eſtates, are deſired to give in their Propoſals in Writing, to Mr. Ibbetſon, at the Admiralty-Office, London.*

N. B. *Keſwick Mill has been lately rebuilt; Wanthwate Mill, to which a Dwelling Houſe and Stable will be added, is now rebuilding; and a Set of Houſing is to be built on Warkes Common Allotment, againſt the Time of Entry.*

John Ibbetſon.

Victualling Office, September 14, 1770.

The Commiſſioners for Victualling His Majeſty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Monday the 15th Day of October next, they will be ready to receive Tenders in Writing, (ſealed up) and treat with ſuch Perſons as may be inclinable to undertake to furniſh Sea-Proviſions to ſuch of His Majeſty's Ships and Veſſels as may touch at Yarmouth in Norfolk, and be in Want thereof. Alſo Freſh Beef on a ſeparate Contract.

The Conditions of the Contracts may be ſeen at the Secretary's Office at the Victualling Office, London, or applying to the Collector of His Majeſty's Cuſtoms at Yarmouth.

And all Perſons who may think proper to make Tenders upon the ſaid Occaſion, are deſired to take Notice, that no Regard will be had to any Tender that ſhall not be delivered to the Board before One o'Clock on the ſaid 15th of October next.

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THE Creditors of Mr. William Reid, late of Liverpool in the County of Lancaſter, Merchant, are deſired to meet at James Wrigley's, the Golden Lyon in Dale-ſtreet Liverpool, on Wedneſday the 10th Day of October next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, in order to ſee a State of his Affairs with reſpect to his Demand on Mr. Daniel Mac Neale, and the ſeveral Orders of the Court of Chancery in Ireland relating thereto; And to give their further Directions to the Aſſignees and to Mr. Reid about proſecuting the Claim now eſtabliſhed upon that Eſtate.

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